

**One Hundred Fourth Legislature - Second Session - 2016**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB1089**

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**Chairperson: Senator Burke Harr**

**Committee: Business and Labor**

**Date of Hearing: February 01, 2016**

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

Legislative Bill 1089 would increase the minimum wage by persons compensated by way of gratuities, commonly referred to as tipped minimum wage. The bill would increase the tipped minimum wage from the current \$2.13 per hour, to an indexed rate of the standard minimum wage. This would be 40% (\$3.60) of the current \$9 minimum wage starting on August 1, 2016 and 50% (\$4.50), starting on January 1, 2017.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

Senator Matt Hansen